STOLEN SILKS FOUND IN HOUSE

Six Cases Were Valued at \$10,000 Taken from Manufacturers.

FOUR UNDER ARREST.

Truckman Who Got Goods Abandons Team and Vehicle in Brooklyn.

Ten thousand dollars' worth of silks were stolen from the William Skinner Manufacturing Company, of Greene and Bleecker streets, last Monday afternoon, and with the arrest of four persons, three men and a woman, who were taken into custody last night by the police gf the Mercer street station, charged with receiving stolen property most of the plunder was recovered. One of the prisoners, the police say, confeeed to his part in the robbery and fold where the silks had been disposed

of, with the result that detectives soon

later gathered in all of the personse who had the stolen poperty in their

poss(sslop. At 2 o'clock Monday afternoon a truck owend by Z. T. Piercy, of No. 207 Tompkins street, and driven by Charles Femenella, twenty-eight years old, of No. 156 Prince street, drove up to the Skinner establishment and took aboard six cases of sliks, valued at \$10,000, which were to have been shipped to the Chicago brarch of the concern and to Robert Wicks, of Utica, N. Y.

Team Abandoned in Brooklyn. That night the truck failed to return to Piercy's stables, and the following morning an alarm was sent out from the Mercer Street Police Station, Mr. Piercy asking that all precincts in the Greater City be notified to be on the lookout for a gray team and truck.
Late Tuesday night word was received
from the police of the Lee Avenue
Station in Brooklyn that the team and
truck had been found abandoned in
that precinct.

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When the Brooklyn police reported that no goods were found on the truck, it immediately became known that a robbery had been committed.

Detectives Farley and McGee, of the Mercer Street Station, said a woan told them she had seen cases of goods being taken into a house at No. 55 Magin street. The sleuths went there last night and found Leonard Raymond, forty years old, of No. 111 Cherry street, busily at work breaking up packing cases. In the room was also a quantity of the silks stolen from the truck.

Prisoner Confesses.

Raymond was arrester charged with seceiving stolen goods and when taken to the Mercer Street Station he broke down and confessed that he knew where the silks had come from the detectives say. He said, it is alleged by the police, that Femeneila had hired the room in the Mangin street house for the purpose of storing the goods for the purpose of storing the goods for the m.

The detectives learned that Mrs. Tillie Lessler, who keeps a small store at No. 6 Monroe street, had bought \$2,000 worth of the goods for \$250, while the remainder went to Barney Funkin, fitty-four years old, of No. 99 Norfolk street, and Morais Mayerfine, fifty-three years, of No. 450 Cherry street, who, between them, had paid \$600 for the \$5,000 worth. Raymond was arrester charged with

Stolen Silks Found.

When Farley and McGee went to Mrs, lessler's store she told them that she ad turned the silks over to her sisterhad threed the silks over to her sister-in-law, who live somewhere on the ceast side. The detectives located the weman late last night and she willingly gave up the goods. Both she and Mrs. lessler deny having known that the sike had been stolen, but nevertheless the police arrested Mrs. Lessler, charg-ling he with receiving stolen goods. Her sister-in-law was not taken into cus-

Finkim and Meyerfine were then ap-prehended and a large quantity of the stolen property found in their posses-sion. They, too, were arrested and ocked up in the Mercer street sta-

police said last night that they The police said last night that they learned Femerella was seen in Albany, N. Y., on Tuesday, but yesterday was in New York City consulting a lawyer. Detectives were looking for him all night, but up to an early hour to-day had not got any trace of him.

The tectives Farley and McGee said last night that Funkim was arrested last February in connection with a silk robbery, and that a man who was the taken into custody with him is now serving time in Sing Sing.

Dashes Into Group of Laborers in Park Avenue

Cut.

On its way from the Grand Central Depot to the Mott Haven vards to day a New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad locomotive dashed into group of men who were working in the Park avenue cut at One Hundred and First street, killing one and in-

The laborers had been at work for some time and three of them were carrying a tie across the centre track when the engine, which was running along ac smoothly that it hardly made a sound, struck them. The foremost of the men, of No. 101 East Fifty-first street, was thrown against the side wall of the out and when picked up was just

Every bone in his body appeared to moned and also Rev. Father Lennon. of St. Francis's Church, near by. The physician could do nothing. The priest administered the last rites of the Church and the man died within a few minutes without recovering consciousness

The injured are Bassillo Mazzano, of No. 414 East One Hundred and Firtherh street, and Matthew Assinlo, of No. 116 Morris avanue, the Bronx. The men who were with them say the engineer did not whistle or ring his bell. He did not step after the accident, continuing up the road, Capt. Cruise, of the East Od. Hundred and Fourth freet station, sent a man to Mott Haven to arrest the engineer.

HELD ON A CHARGE OF MURDERING HIS WIFE

Coroner's Jury in Jersey City Accuses Walter Decker-Attempt at Suicide Failed.

panelled by Coroner Brackner, of Jersey City.

Yaiter Decker is in the North Hudon Hospital recovering from a builet yound. He held the revolver with

right temple, but it must have move when he pulled the trigger, as i -reed his right eye.

The evidence at the inquest shows bat Decker, who was employed by the West Shore Rallroad, had been dri m. He had not been home for se wife in a saloon. After much argume Decker conserted to go home. He was out to bed and then alrs. Decker an-Mrs. Mary Brown, a boarder, sat up came to her death by built wounds indicted by her husbard. Walter Brown testined that a few moments Decker." Is the verdict of a jury in-

Thug Flings Old Man Down Flight of Basement Stairs.

was not seriously hurt, but while he was unconscious Duffy turned his pockis out taking what he had in the way laway is a minute. of a couple of pencils and a few trink-

about Chatham square is called. He up a battle for his freedom, engaged a bed at No. 9 Chatham square. To the sergeant afterward he admitted In order to rob a man who was sup- He was drunk and penniless when he that he had attacked Lang. posed to have money, Philip Duffy, wao staggered toward the Bowery last night

Lang reached the areaway he gave him ong flight of steps leading to the base- a push that sent the old man headlong rent of No. 45 Dayard street. The man down the steps. Like a tiger after 10 a pash that sent the old man headlong brey he was down on top of the old man and had turned out his pockets and wa-

Patrolman McHale, who had watche the assault, ran after Duffy and caugh ets. The man had no money.

The victim was James Line, aged him within couple of doors of the Eliza-sixty, who says he is a "foreman," but neth stree tpoller station. The prisoner out of work. In some way / 5 obtained was out of breath when he was landed a roll of bills yesterday, and was along before Sergeant Gillesple at the desk, Parhandlers' Row, as the Bowery but when he recovered his wind he put

A tea table, a fancy table, a flower table, a toy table, a candy table, and a cigar table will be features of the charity bazaar for the benefit of St. Jun's Day Nursery, to be held at the Waldorf on Friday afterno n and evening, Dec. 1, unler the patronage of the leading Catholle women of the city.

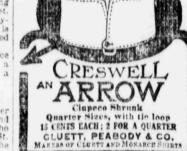
"I can't help that," said Duffy, "I had to eat. I had to take a chance."

Duffy says he is a machinist, living at No. 215 East Seventy-fourth street. He is a husky young fellow, twenty-seven years old. The police say he is a deeperate character, and wanted noncy for whiskey.

Lang was treated by an ambulance surgeon. He had a few bruises and a scalp wound. He was locked up on a harge of intexication. For Bazaar at the Waldorf.

man for a few cents?" asked Gil-

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Banner Bargains to Bring in a Banner "Bargain Friday" **Business** To-Morrow!

10c per pound for regular 25c Home-made Old Fashioned Mo.asses 48c for regular \$1.00 to \$2.50 Corsets—The Coronet, un-

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10c per pound for 25c Home-made breskable flexibone - Royal Worcester, Old Fashioned Molasses Pepper- Warner's-H. & H. and Our Own Special extra long, medium and short lengths. with and without supporters attachednever before at such reductions Good models can be found in this lot. They

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Belts

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3,000 Fancy Colored and Black Silk Remnants in lengths from 1 1-2 to 15 yards and worth from 45c to 75e, including plain and fancy Lousines, Peau de Cygne, Messaline, Foulards, China Silk, Crepe de Chine, Armures, Moires, Failles, Crystals, Plaids, Plain and Fancy Taffeta, Etc. Many lengths for full suits, waists, dchilren's wear, fancy work, etc. Main Floor.

45c per yard for full 27 inch All Silk Taffeta in street and evening colorings, including white, cream and black.
Worth 75c,

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\$2.89 for size 36x72 inches, value \$4.45.

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48c per square yar or Importe Cork Linoleum, extra son's fine Oilcloth, 4-4, fine quality, 2, 3 and 4 6-4 and 8-4 widths in the yards wide, fine tile and best patterns. Worth parquet floor designs, worth 75c, and 85c,

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100 Piece Dinner Sets, nicely decorated in a neat floral pattern Fach piece gold fined; the set includes 3 platters and a soup tureen. Worth \$8.00. ODD PIECES OF WHITE AND

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cape, prettily trimmed with braids inlays \$1.98 \$8.98 for Misses' and Junior Suits, three-quarter

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